



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

Applicant	: Kirch et al.	
Appln. No.	: 10/625,585	Confirmation No: 7741
Filed	: July 22, 2003	Group Art Unit: 3643
Title	: DOOR-MOUNTED PET TIE-OUT	Examiner: Swiatek, Robert P.

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.